

FTC Team 7393 electron Volts

Student Code of Conduct

This Code of Conduct covers all activities held by FTC Team 7393, and will be in effect during the season and the off-season, which includes (but is not limited to) team meetings, driving and judging practice sessions, build sessions, competition events, and any outreach activities. Team members are expected to comply with all parts of the Code of Conduct in order to be considered an eligible participant in team activities.

As a member of the the team, a team member acknowledges the receipt of this code of conduct, which consists of the following rules:

- I agree to display Gracious Professionalism and show respect in all aspects of team activities and interactions. This is a strongly emphasized aspect of FIRST and also of electronVolts. I understand my conduct also reflects directly upon my parents, friends, and team sponsors, which I represent.
- I agree to listen to the direction of my coaches.
- I agree to refrain from participating in any form of bullying or any kind of verbal, physical, or online harassment against another person or be associated with those who are involved in bullying.
- I agree to regard safety with the utmost importance in all areas and venues where the team operates. I will follow every competition's safety recommendations.
- I understand violation of any of these rules can lead to dismissal from the robotics program.
- I agree to regularly attend team meetings. Three unexcused absences in a row from regularly scheduled team meetings (the longer, weekend team meeting) are grounds for removal from the team.
- I agree that I am not entitled to certain roles on the team including but not limited to leadership positions and drive team positions.
- I agree to report any damage or broken equipment to the coaches and other team members and understand there will be no consequences for unintentional discovery of broken materials. (We encourage experimentation, and accidental breakage is expected and part of the learning experience!)
- Students are expected to report violations of the code of conduct to a coach or parent.

The following process will guide violations of the code of conduct. The team is designed to provide a safe and fun environment for everyone, and the coaches and mentors are committed to make this happen.

Small Infractions – examples: harsh language; bullying; aggressive arguing

- A verbal warning and discussion with coach
- 2nd time – discuss with two coaches; written notice to parent; asked to leave meeting
- 3rd time – take a break from the team for one week
- 4th time – removal from the team

Large Infractions – examples: repeated safety violation; breaking tournament rules; cheating

- Immediate dismissal from the meeting or event
- 2nd time – dismissal from from the team

By signing below, I indicate agreement to the above outlined Code of Conduct.

Student Name (printed)

Student Signature

Date

Parent / Guardian Signature

Date

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Date